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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action mailed June 9, 2005. Applicant respectfully requests a three (3) month extension of time for filing a response to the Office Action. The response period is presently set to expire on September 9, 2005, and if this Request for Extension of Time is granted, the new response date will be December 9, 2005.

In response to the Office Action dated June 9, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: